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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Resources and Services Administration

Meeting of the National Advisory Council on Nurse Education and Practice

AGENCY: Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The National Advisory Council on Nurse Education and Practice (NACNEP or the Council) has scheduled a public meeting. Information about NACNEP and the agenda for this meeting can be found on the NACNEP website at https://www.hrsa.gov/advisory-committees/nursing/index.html.

DATES: November 19, 2018, 8:30 a.m. – 4:15 p.m. ET.

ADDRESSES: This meeting will be held by teleconference and webinar. The conference callin number is 1-888-455-0640; passcode: HRSA COUNCIL. The webinar link is https://hrsa.connectsolutions.com/nacnep/.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Tracy L. Gray, MBA, MS, RN, Division of Nursing and Public Health, Bureau of Health Workforce, HRSA, 5600 Fishers Lane, 11N112, Rockville, Maryland 20857; 301-443-3346; or DScott1@hrsa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: NACNEP provides advice and recommendations to the Secretary of Health and Human Services (Secretary) and the U.S. Congress on policy matters

arising in the administration of Title VIII of the Public Health Service (PHS) Act, as amended,

including the range of issues relating to nurse supply, education, and practice improvements.

NACNEP provides an annual report to the Secretary and Congress describing the activities of

NACNEP, including findings and recommendations made by NACNEP concerning the activities

under this title.

During the November 19, 2018, meeting, NACNEP will continue discussing areas where nursing

can take the lead in the transition of the health care system to value-based care through

improvements to nurse education and practice, to advance the development of its 15th Report. In

addition, the members will discuss strategic priorities and future directions for the Council and

discuss possible topics for its 16th Report. Agenda items are subject to change as priorities

dictate. Refer to the NACNEP website for any updated information concerning the meeting.

Members of the public will have the opportunity to provide comments. Public participants may

submit written statements in advance of the scheduled meeting. Oral comments will be honored

in the order they are requested and may be limited as time allows. Requests to make oral

comments or provide written statements to NACNEP should be sent to Ms. Tracy L. Gray,

Designated Federal Official, using the contact information above at least 3 business days prior to

the meeting.

Amy P. McNulty,

Acting Director, Division of the Executive Secretariat.

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